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Respectfully submitted,

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Attorney Docket No.	AppIn No.	AppIn Date	Patent No.	Grant Date	Title	Current Owner	First Name Inventor
1487-17 A	10/282,755	10/29/2002	7,004,945	2/28/2006	Devices And Methods For The Restoration Of A Spinal Disc	Spine Wave, Inc.	Lawrence M. Boyd
1487-17 A/CON	10/667,540	9/22/2003	7,575,577	8/18/2009	Devices And Methods For The Restoration Of A Spinal Disc	Spine Wave, Inc.	Lawrence M. Boyd
1487-17 A/CON II	11/099,732	4/6/2005	7,601,157	10/13/2009	Devices And Methods For The Restoration Of A Spinal Disc	Spine Wave, Inc.	Lawrence M. Boyd
1487-17 B	10/282,666	10/29/2002	7,799,833	9/21/2010	System and Method for the Pretreatment of the Endplates of an Intervertebral Disc	Spine Wave, Inc.	Lawrence M. Boyd
1487-19 A	11/170,010	6/29/2005	7,722,579	5/25/2010	Devices For Injecting A Curable Biomaterial Into A Intervertebral Space	Spine Wave, Inc.	Keith Collins
1487-19 B	11/170,382	6/29/2005	7,556,650	7/7/2009	Methods For Injecting A Curable Biomaterial Into A Intervertebral Space	Spine Wave, Inc.	Keith Collins
1487-19 C	11/170,577	6/29/2005	7,789,913	9/7/2010	Methods For Injecting A Curable Biomaterial Into A Intervertebral Space	Spine Wave, Inc.	Keith Collins
1487-19 F	11/169,405	6/29/2005	7,740,660	6/22/2010	Methods For Treating Defects And Injuries Of An intervertebral Disc	Spine Wave, Inc.	Keith Collins
1487-25 RCE II	09/794,873	2/27/2001	6,740,093	5/25/2004	Method And Apparatus For Treating Vertebral Body	Spine Wave, Inc.	Stephen Hochshuler

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1487-26 RCE	09/873,669	6/4/2001	7,114,501	10/3/2006	Transverse Cavity Device And Method	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-26 RCE/CON	11/073,796	7/7/2005	7,234,468	6/26/2007	Transverse Cavity Device And Method	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-27	09/872,905	6/1/2001	6,595,998	7/22/2003	Tissue Distraction Device	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-27 CON	10/458,174	6/10/2003	7,780,707	8/24/2010	Method For Reducing A Vertebra Using Stacked Elements	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-27 CON II	10/623,791	7/21/2003	7,153,305	12/26/2006	Method For Treating Tibial Plateau Compression Fractures	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-27 CON III	10/623,957	7/21/2003	7,311,713	12/25/2007	Method Of Interbody Fusion With Stacked Elements	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley D. Johnson
1487-27 CON III/CON	11/084,288	3/18/2005	7,749,255	7/6/2010	Method For Fusing Adjacent Bones	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-27 CON III/CON II	11/694,093	3/30/2007	7,799,034	9/21/2010	Tissue Distraction Device	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-27 CON IV/DIV	11/371,475	3/9/2006	7,780,734	8/24/2010	Tissue Distraction Device	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-27 CON/DIV II	11/867,867	10/5/2007	7,744,637	6/29/2010	Method For Restoring Vertebral Body Height	Spine Wave, Inc.	Wesley Johnson
1487-28	10/813,819	3/31/2004	7,753,912	7/13/2010	Tissue Distraction Device	Spine Wave, Inc.	Spanky A. Raymond

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1487-29	10/846,235	5/14/2004	6,997,929	2/14/2006	Tissue Distraction Device	Spine Wave, Inc.	Richard J. Manzi
1487-29 DIV	11/353,711	2/13/2006	7,674,278	3/9/2010	Tissue Distraction Device	Spine Wave, Inc.	Richard J. Manzi
1487-30	11/031,562	1/7/2005	7,789,912	9/7/2010	Apparatus And Method For Injecting Fluent Material At A Distracted Tissue Site	Spine Wave, Inc.	Richard Manzi

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: Spine Wave, Inc.Application No./Patent No.: 7,114,501Filed/Issue Date: October 3, 2006Titled: Transverse Cavity Device and MethodSpine Wave, Inc., a corporation

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